

## Homegrown Minneapolis - July 8, 2014, Update

#### **News**

## Honeybee ordinance amendment removes barriers to beekeeping

Minneapolis City Council's HECE Committee approved changes to the honeybee ordinance yesterday, removing neighborhood signature requirements for beekeepers. The amended ordinance will move next to the full City Council for consideration.

http://www.startribune.com/local/minneapolis/266138861.html

http://www.minneapolismn.gov/www/groups/public/@clerk/documents/webcontent/wcms1p-127855.pdf

## **Events**

## **Homegrown Minneapolis Food Council July Meeting**

Wednesday, July 9, 2014, 5:00-7:00 pm meeting, 4:30-4:50 optional tour & presentation Minneapolis Public Schools Nutrition Services Classroom A (2<sup>nd</sup> Floor), 812 Plymouth Ave N, Minneapolis http://www.minneapolismn.gov/sustainability/homegrown/index.htm

### **Land Access Forum**

Thursday, July 10, 6:00-8:00 pm

Presented by Stone's Throw Urban Farm, 2820 15th Avenue S, Minneapolis

Panel, potluck and discussion regarding what kind of relationships to land will enable a sustainable and just urban agriculture movement.

https://www.facebook.com/events/474772749324777/

## Seward Co-op Friendship Store Groundbreaking Ceremony

Saturday, July 12, 10:30 am- 1:30 pm

Intersection of 38<sup>th</sup> Street East and 3<sup>rd</sup> Avenue South, Minneapolis

There will be a brief ceremony commemorating the history of the building, comments from community representatives, live music and food from the co-op.

#### **Eat Local Farm Tour**

Saturday, July 19, 2014

Multiple locations, including a cluster of Minneapolis urban farms.

Presented by the Twin Cities area food co-ops to showcase the local farmers that bring local foods to our tables. <a href="https://www.facebook.com/EatLocalFarmTour.coop">https://www.facebook.com/EatLocalFarmTour.coop</a>

#### **Pollinator Party**

Thursday, July 24, 2014, 5:00-8:00 pm

Lyndale Gardens, Lake Harriet, 4124 Roseway Road, Minneapolis

The Pollinator Party brings together bees, scientists, beekeepers, food, and live music. This annual event also provides an opportunity for people of all ages to celebrate the life and work of honey bees and native bees. At dusk, enjoy the Disney movie "Wings of Life" which offers an intimate and unprecedented look at butterflies, hummingbirds, bees, bats and flowers.

# We need to grow the local food movement! Forward this newsletter to your friends or post the link to Homegrown Minneapolis on Facebook.

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